GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5356
ANSWERED ON:28.04.2000
PROMOTION OF FILM PRODUCERS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the measures taken by the Government to encourage young film producers who are involved in the production of documentaries, shoot films, advertisement films on socio, economic, cultural and educational fields;

(b) the details of funds allocated and utilised for the Film Society of India and Chieldren Film Society of India during the last three years, year-wise; Â© whether the Government have any schemes to promote the production of films of national interest and public importance or on any social cause; and

(d) if so, the details of the recipients of the such awards/financial assistance during the last three years ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF STATE OF TH DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT

(SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

(a) Films Division encourages film makers, particularly those graduated from the Film & Television Institute of India of and other film schools, by assigning them films as and when worthwhile proposals on socio economic, cultural and educational subjects are received and approved.

(b) The details are given in Annexure-I.

(c) Films Division produces films of national and public interest on subjects like communal harmony, national integration, prohibition, family welfare, environment, agriculture, science and technology, current history, rural development, social welfare, industry, human and child welfare, defence etc. The National Film Development Corporation and Children`s Film Society also produce films on social themes. Besides, the Directorate of Film Festivals organizes National Film Festival every year fwhereawards are given in various categories.

(d) The details are given in Annexure-II

ANNEXURE-I

ANNEXURE-II REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5356 FOR 28.04.2000.

Details of funds allocated and utilized by the Federation of Film Societies of India

(FFSI) and Children`s Film Society, India (CFSI) during the last three years i.e., 1997-98,1998-99 and 1999-2000:

1. FFSI	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000 (Rs. in lakhs)
(a) Funds allocated/ released	4.00	4.00	4.00
(b) Funds utilized	4.00	4.00	4.00

2. CFSI	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000
(a) Funds allocated/ Released	1,40,60,728.00	3,49,74,252.00	4,30,28,800.00

(b) Funds utilized 2,01,44,467.16 3,20,03,800.43 3,11,51,000.00

1. This included utilization of unspent balance of Rs.60,84,487.49 carried forward from the previous year i.e., 1996-97. An unspent balance of Rs.748.33 as on 31.3.1998 was carried forward to the financial year 1998-99.

2. Unutilised grant of Rs.29,71,199.90 was carried forward to the next financial year i.e., 1999-2000.

3. Unspent balance of Rs.1,48,49,000.00 as on March 31, 2000 will be utilized during the financial year 2000-2001.

ANNEXURE-II

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Details of recipients of awards for films of national importance/films on social issues during the last three National Film Festivals (NFFs) are given below:-

44th NATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL- 1997.

AWARDS FOR NON-FEATURE FILMS:.

1.Best Arts/Cultural film 1.Producer: JS (XP), Ministry of External Affairs
2.Producer: Ms Saroj Satyanarayan
3.Director: Ms. Saroj Satyanarayan

2.Best film on Social issues 4. Producer: Jose Sebastian
5. Director: O.K. Johnny

3.Best Educational/Motivational 6. Producer: Abraham Benhur
Instructional film.
7. Director: Ali Akbar

4.Best film on Family Welfare 8.Producer: Films Division
9. Producer: Deptt. of Welfare
10. Producer: K.R.G. Pictures Productions.
11. Director: Gul Bahar Singh

5.Best Biographical film 12. Producer: Digbijay Medhi
13. Director; Prabin Hazarika

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6. Best film on other Social issues 1. Producer: Pooja Bhatt
2. Director: Mahesh Bhatt

7. Best film on Family Welfare 3.Producer: Robin Agarwal
4. Prabhat Roy

8. Nargis Dutt Award for Best film on 5. Producer; P.V.Gangadharan
Ntional Integration. 6. Director: Siby Malayil

45th NATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL, 1998

NON-FEATURE FILM SECTION

1. BEST ARTS/CULTURAL FILM NF 1. Producer:
DIRECTOR, NATIONAL
GALLARY OF MODERN ART
NF 2. Director :
SUHASINI MULAY
NF 3. Director :
H.M. GHAREKHAN

2. BEST FILM ON SOCIAL ISSUES NF 4. Producer :
ANJANA GHOSH DASTIDAR
NF 5. Director :
DEBANANDA SENGUPTA

3. BEST EDUCATIONAL / NF 6. Producer :
MOTIVATIONAL / FILMS DIVISION
INSTRUCTIONAL FILM NF 7. Producer : DEPTT. OF FAMILY
WELFARE
NF 8. Producer : SUDESH UNNI RAMAN
NF 9. Director : VENU ARORA

4. BEST FILM ON FAMILY NF 10. Producer : SHAILA PARALKAR
NF 11. Producer : YASH CHOUCHARY
NF 12. Producer : DEPARTMENT OF
FAMILY WELFARE
NF 13. Director : SHAILA PARALKAR
NF 14. Director : K.G. DAS

5. BEST ANTHROPOLOGICAL / NF 15. Producer : DIRECTOR,
ENTHNOGRAPHI FILM CULTURAL RESEARCH
INSTITUTE, S.L. AND
T.W. DEPARTMENT
NF 16. Director : ANJAN BOSE
NF 17. Director : MANAS KAMAL
CHOWDHURI
6. BEST ENVIRONMENT/ NF 18. Producer : Y.N.ENGINEER
CONSERVATION/ NF 19. Director : LATE P.C.SHARMA
PRESERVATION FILM NF 20. Director : SHANKAR PATNAIK

7 BEST AGRICULTURAL FILM NF 21. Producer : Y.N.ENGINEER
NF 22. Director : V. PACKIRISAMY

8. BEST HISTORICAL NF 23. Producer : P.SASIDHARAN
RECONSTRUCTION/ NF 24. Producer : A. KRISHNA
COMPILATION FILM NF 25. Director : R.S. MADHU

9. BEST EXPLORATION / NF 26. Producer : KULDEEP SINHA
ADVENTURE FILM NF 27. Director : RAGHU KRISHNA
10. BEST FILM ON OTHER SOCIAL F 28. Producer : FILMS DIVISION
ISSUES F 29. Director : DEEPAK ROY
11. BEST FILM ON FAMILY F 30. Producer : S. BALACHANDRA MENON
WELFARE
F 31. Director : S.BALACHANDRA
MENON
12. BEST FILM ON ENVIRONMENT F 32. Producer : R.MAHADEV
CONSERVATION / GOWDA
PRESERVATION 33. Director : KESARI HARVOO
34. Producer : Dr. M. S. REDDY
F 35. Director : GUNASEKHAR

46th NATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL, 1999-2000

NON-FEATURE FILM SECTION

1. BEST ARTS/CULTURAL FILM	NF 1.	Producer : SHRI BANKIM, CHIEF PRODUCER, FILMS DIVISION, MUMBAI.
2. BEST FILM ON SOCIAL ISSUES	NF 2.	Producer : P. AMRITHAM, DIRECTOR, FTIT
3. BEST EDUCATIONAL / MOTIVATIONAL / INSTRUCTIONAL FILM	NF 3.	Producer : MESSERS VIVEK FILMS (REP. SHRI VIKRAM K. KUMAR
4. BEST FILM ON FAMILY WELFARE	NF 4.	Producer : SHRI Y.N.ENGINEER
5. BEST ANTHROPOLOGICAL / ETHNOGRAPHIC FILM	NF 5.	Producer : SHRI SANKAR RAKSHIT
6. BEST ENVIRONMENT/CONSERVATION/PRESERVATION FILM	NF 6.	Producer : SHRI DAYAKAR RAO
7 BEST HISTORICAL RECONSTRUCTION/ COMPILATION FILM	NF 7.	Producer : P.AMRITHAM, DIRECTOR, TAMILNADU FILMS DIVISION
8. BEST EXPLORATION/ ADVENTURE FILM	NF 8.	Producer : MESSERS NEO FILMS (REP. SHRI VIVEK MOHAN)
9. BEST FILM ON OTHER SOCIAL ISSUES	F 9.	Producer : SHRI C. KARUNAKARAN
10. BEST FILM ON FAMILY WELFARE	F 10.	Producer : MESERS DHATRI FILMS (REP. Ms. PRONATI BALLAV)
11. NARGIS DUTT AWARD FOR BEST FEATURE FILM ON NATIONAL INTEGRATION	F 11.	Producer : Ms. POOJA BHATT
12. BEST FILM ON EVIRONMENT/ CONSERVATION/PRESERVATION	F 12.	Producer : NATIONAL CENTRE CENTRE OF FILMS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE (REP. Ms. SAI PARANJPYE)